

St. Peter's Parish, Shankill

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BULLETIN


24th JULY 2022 – SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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MASS SCHEDULE
Saturday 9.30am, 6pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8am, 10am, (po polsku) & 12.00 noon
Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8am
Tuesday 8am & 7pm
Friday 8am & 7pm Communion Service
ST PAUL'S CHURCH
Sunday: 9am & 10.30am,
Monday-Friday: 10am
Saturday: 10.30 am & 7pm (Vigil)

OFFERTORY COLLECTION
10th July – £2941.90
17th July – £2046.26
Donation – £26 loose
Car Park 14th July – £360.70
21st July – £389.50
Thank you for your continued support and generosity

 **Baptism**
We welcome the following children into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism
Keilidh Ann Corbett, Lurgantarry
Éada Lily McConville, Drumna Walk
Sawyer Jude McAreavey, Filbin Crescent
Brógán Danny Heatley, Bells Row Court
Senan John McEvoy, Headington Manor
Our prayers and good wishes are extended to their families
All parents wishing to have a child baptised in St Peter's Parish, must notify the Parish Office in person. One month's notice is required.
Baptisms take place on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month @ 1.30pm

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
We would like to thank all the schools involved in the recent **'Voices of Hope Concert'** and especially Mrs Caitriona McAtarsney from St Mary's P.S., Derrymore who organised the concert.
Money raised for St Peter's Restoration Fund was £500
Thank you for your generosity

PRAYER FOR A BLESSING OF GRANDPARENTS
Lord God almighty, bless our grandparents with long life, happiness and health. May they remain constant in your love and be living signs of your presence to their children and grandchildren. Amen


Annual Novena Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine
15th August 2022.
£599.00 per person sharing.
Price includes return bus transfer from N. Ireland, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board.
All entertainment and excursions included. Avail of Novena Ceremonies. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum.
Single supplement £100.00.
Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Mary's Meals Step by Step to Feed the Next Child
Mary's Meals are currently feeding over 2.2million children a daily school meal across 20 countries. Our Annual Walk to Knock to support this life-changing work is taking place between the 23rd July and the 15th August, starting in five different locations throughout Ireland and finishing in Knock on 15th August on the Feast of the Assumption. Your nearest starting points are on **Wed 3rd Aug** from Lurgan (St Paul's Church) to Portadown (7-8.45pm) and on **Sat 6th Aug** from Portadown (Tesco Carpark) to Armagh (11am-4pm). All welcome to participate even for a mile or two! Register online at www.tinyurl.com/mmmstepbystep or on the day. If not walking, please keep us in your prayers and don't forget to watch out for our walkers in their blue t-shirts with their blue collection buckets. For more details visit Step by Step to Feed the Next Child on Facebook or contact Seamus Mallon on 079 7435 6381.

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY SUNDAY 24TH JULY – THEME "In old age they will still bear fruit" (Psalm 92:15).
Pope Francis established a World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly which took place for the first time on Sunday 25 July 2021. In 2022, the celebration will fall on Sunday 24 July, the Sunday closest to the Feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, Grandparents of Jesus. The theme chosen by Pope Francis for this year's celebration is: **"In old age they will still bear fruit" (Psalm 92:15).**
The Catholic Grandparents Association has been at the forefront in campaigning for a greater recognition of Grandparents for their role and vocation in passing on their faith to the next generation. The announcement of a new Church-wide celebration for Grandparents and the elderly came in answer to our prayerful request to the Holy Father Pope Francis.
This new worldwide celebration in the Universal Church calendar is a momentous achievement for Grandparents and the Elderly and will hopefully reassure them that they are loved and that they are needed.



CEMETERY SUNDAY 28th August
Rosary and Prayers for the Faithful Departed
Dougher 3pm
St Colman's 5pm

ADORATION CHAPEL Edward Street
 *'Adoration is a quiet personal time of intimacy with Jesus in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament, the bread broken for us.'*

ANNUAL WEEKEND TRIP TO KNOCK
Friday 5th August - Sunday 7th August 2022
To book a seat please contact: 077 4251 8958

ADORATION CHAPEL
Our Lady of Fatima Prayers
Family Rosary Devotion 7 -8pm
Friday 19 August,
Tuesday 13 September & Tuesday 11 October


DONEGAL SHORT BREAK
Departing 13th October
3 nights Dinner, B&B in **Innishowen Gateway Hotel**
Price £329 includes ticket to 'Blood Upon the Rose' musical in the Millennium Forum & free time in Derry, entertainment on Saturday night & local tours.
Contact Noel or Gerard 38324741

18-22? LOOKING FOR A GAP YEAR?
Castlerigg Manor is a Catholic youth retreat centre located in Keswick in the English Lake District. Our work is mostly done by a team of young Catholics who live together as part of a community. We are still looking for people to start the coming year in mid-August, so if you're at a loose end and want an amazing, fruitful year, maybe this is for you? It's a voluntary year but food, accommodation and pocket money are provided.
To find out more, contact jack@castleriggmanor.co.uk or google Castlerigg Manor.

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel Luke 11:1-13
1. In the prayer Jesus gave us a model, the focus is not on getting God to do what we want, but on trying to be open to what God wants: 'Your kingdom come'. That openness implies a trust that what God wants for us is our good. When have you found that it was good for you to take life as it comes, trusting that the spirit was with you no matter what happened?
2. It can be helpful at times to pray the Lord's Prayer with one eye on what you see lies ahead for you in the day. Spend a moment thinking of what you have to do and then take each phrase of the Lord's Prayer and see how that speaks to your own agenda.
3. One of the points in the parable of the friend knocking the door, is that in the case of true friendship it will not be necessary to browbeat the friend into giving what you seek. Recall times when you had a friend who gave willingly and readily. What was it like to have such a generous and willing response?
4. In the culture of the Middle East hospitality is a priority. It would be unimaginable not to help a friend. Just so, it is unimaginable that God will ignore our prayer. When you think of the reliability of God what are the images that you find helpful and that encourage you to persist in prayer

NEWRY CATHEDRAL
We are pleased to announce that, following the interruption caused by the pandemic, we will once again offer guided tours of the cathedral on the following dates:
Wednesday 10th August at 2 pm
Wednesday 24th August at 7 pm
Each tour will take approximately 90 minutes. Please meet at the main door of the Cathedral.
You will hear the story of the building of the Cathedral, 1825-1829, and of the later extensions.
The history of its stained glass, marble altars, sculptures and magnificent mosaics will also be explained.

There is no charge for these tours.
Participants are asked to please wear a mask and observe social distancing.

RECENTLY DECEASED
Margaret Conlan, Manor Drive
Sheila Smyth, Antrim Close

MONTH'S MIND Saturday 30th July
Michael Murtagh, Kilmore Road

ANNIVERSARIES Sunday 24th July
Catherine Mahaffy, Castle Lane
Kathleen McAlinden, Cornakinnegar Road
Marie McCafferty, Lavery Avenue
Imelda Casey, Lower North Street
Vincent O'Dowd, Knocknagor Road
Freddie Gentle, William Street
Richard Grey, London
James, Felix & Eilish Lennon, Derrycrow
Monday 25th July
Agnes McConaghy, Liscorran Road
Rosa Casey, Lower North Street
James McLaughlin, Desmond Avenue

Tuesday 26th July
Catherine Doran, Mary Street
Margaret McDonald, Hill Street
Eilish Greene, Ballinarry
Wednesday 27th July
Bobby Murray, Silverwood Drive
Harry McVeigh, Tannaghmore North Road
James Towe, Edward Street
Mary Towe, Shankill Place

Thursday 28th July
Patsy Magennis, Garland Avenue
Friday 29th July
William Culbert, Allenhill Park
Matthew McCann, Derrymacash
Saturday 30th July
Josephine Lavery, Ennis Green
Jim Moore, Lavery Avenue
Elizabeth Lavery, Princes Street
Patrick Oliver Doran, Shankill Street

Almighty Father, source of forgiveness and salvation, grant that our relatives and friends who have passed from this life may, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of all the saints, come to share your Eternal happiness through Christ our Lord. Amen


MAYOBRIDGE PARISH Tridium of Prayer in honour of the Feast of St Anne.
On Grandparents Day Sunday 24th July, we have Rosary and Benediction at the Shrine at 7pm, weather permitting, if not it will be in St Patrick's Church.
On Monday 25th and Tuesday 26th the Feast of St Anne, we have Mass at 7.30pm in the Church